

Follow up from March 4th Public Comment, San Diego, CA
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Recommenders comments in bold

Changes in **Red**

Current Draft and MWELO text in black

Current Draft text in **Blue**

Recommendation to add the following the table:

SECTION 6: STATE MODEL WATER EFFICIENT LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE (MWELO) FUTURE REVISIONS & PROCESS UPDATES

RECOMMENDATION #1: MWELO Future Revisions for the Next Review Cycle

§ 492.7. Irrigation Design Plan.

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(P) ~~(P)~~ Swing joints, **anti geyser** and/or other riser-protection components are required on all risers subject to damage that are adjacent to hardscapes or in high traffic areas of turfgrass.

Add to the terms:

“Anti Geyer” device means an irrigation component that is a leak-free connection between the emission device and lateral pipeline to provide auto shut off in case of equipment damage.

Justification: Most sprinklers have a life expectancy of 5 -10 years. In many of these case the sprinkler head will become disengage from the body and allow excess water geysers.

Follow up to the above Section 6 and to support Technical Panel Section 7

Recommendation 1B: Product Standards for Irrigation Equipment – Sprinklers Bodies

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RECOMMENDATION #3: State Facility Leadership for New Landscapes

6. E During regular maintenance all sprinkler head replacements should conform to the new installation requirements. This include efficiency factors, low-head drainage checks valves, built in pressure regulator, swing joint, anti-geyser and any other appropriate sections.

